

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

C. R. Crossman returned Tuesday from Denver.

W. L. Lingren of Amistad, visited Clayton Thursday.

N. E. Walker of Pasamonte, was in the city Friday.

W. C. Johnson left the first of the week for Amarillo, Texas.

Dr. Daniel has moved his office to the postoffice building.

W. A. Henderson spent Sunday in Des Moines visiting friends.

A. J. Payne of Sedan, transacted business in the city Tuesday.

L. E. Blakemore of Amistad visited Clayton the last of the week.

Chester Malm of Kenton, spent Monday and Tuesday in Clayton.

Mrs. Don Jenkins of Seneca, spent the week visiting Mrs. R. Q. Palmer.

The Bruns hotel is receiving a new coat of paint, also the post-office.

Miss Viola Ford of Trinidad, is visiting the family of G. W. Teague.

W. E. Howard of Seneca, came to Clayton Thursday to buy ranch supplies.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. George S. Brooks of Grenville, a daughter, on July 19th.

Ed Alderson was in the city Thursday and Friday from his ranch on the Seneca.

Miss Genevieve Collins of El Paso, Texas, is visiting the family of her uncle, O. T. Toombs.

Miss Rose Rateliff, the popular manager of the City Drug Store, is on the sick list this week.

H. C. Farber, C. & S. agent moved into the Hofeld formerly occupied by J. F. Barnhart, this week.

Miss Elizabeth Scott of Grenville, visited Wednesday and Thursday with her sisters, who are attending institute.

Uncle Charlie Bushnell of Beenhams, spent the week in Clayton visiting his many friends and transacting business.

E. Huber, proprietor of the racket store, returned Tuesday from a pleasure trip of several weeks to points in Oklahoma.

Miss Lonia French left Monday for her home in Boise City, Oklahoma, after a visit of several months with her sister, Mrs. Liggett.

Miss Edna Menefee, who has been visiting Mrs. O. P. Easterwood, left the first of the week for short visit in Alamosa, New Mexico.

L. R. Ralston, the jeweler, returned Monday from a motorcycle trip to Winfield, Kansas. He was accompanied by Eugene Gonzales.

Filadelfo C. de Baca, the Assistant state Superintendent of Public Instruction, visited the Union county institute Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Geo. F. Reed left Thursday for her home in Oklahoma City, after a two week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bourus.

Miss Hazel Asmussen is spending a few weeks with her parents on their ranch in Cimarron county, Oklahoma. Miss Robina Woods is supplying her place at Otto-Johnson's.

North Sedan Valley

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Lewis were entertained Sunday at the home of Archie Hyso and wife.

Misses Emma Mangelsdorf and

WHAT CATARRH IS

It has been said that every third person has catarrh in some form.

Science has shown that nasal catarrh often indicates a general weakness of the body; and local treatments in the form of snuffs and vapors do little, if any good.

To correct catarrh you should treat its cause by enriching your blood with the oil-food in Scott's Emulsion which is a medicinal food and a building tonic, free from alcohol or any harmful drugs. Try it.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

Garinda Long are attending the teachers' institute at Clayton.

Misses Mrjle Brown of Texline, Texas, and Oleta Stauffer visited day with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bussey and family.

Our community was in mourning over the death of Mrs. L. A. (Grandma) Batchelor the forepart of the week. She died Monday, July 12, after an illness of about two weeks. A number of neighbors accompanied the corpse to the Texline cemetery where Rev. Cassidy made a very appropriate talk to the crowd assembled. After the funeral the members of the procession ate dinner with O. C. Downing.

This year will mark a new epoch in the history of Union county, New Mexico. Hardly an acre of ground that has ever been cultivated is laying out and it is all sure of making good crops. This broom corn section of our state will supply half the demand west of the Mississippi. In Oklahoma, where last year broom corn was the only crop planted wheat and corn now are growing and the broom crop is on the back shelf. Farmers in this section of country should take care of the crop right when it comes on if they expect to get good prices and most of them are in a position to hold for the best prices.

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Advertised Letters

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Teodocio Valdez.
Hiram McLean.
Nick Martinez.
K. Lentz.
Frances Gonzales.
Estefanita Gonzales.
D. B. Huffman.
Jeff Crawford.
A. L. Ingie.
Maude Farrus.
Rosendo Esquibel.
Alma Long.
C. H. Dean.
Mrs. Ellen Mishelter.

If not called for they will be sent to the Division of Dead Letters on July 28th, 1915.

Susie S. Pace,
Postmaster.

For Trade

A nice little grocery store located in Altus, Oklahoma, just across the street from railroad depot, best location in town, stock invoices at about \$800.00. Daily sales about \$30 per day. Stock clean and up-to-date. Want to trade for an improved tract of land or relinquishment near Clayton, prefer land southwest of town. Reason for trading must get out in the open air. This is a good business proposition. Our cold drinks averaged \$12.00 per day so far this month. Don't answer unless you have something of value. Address Box 544, Altus, Oklahoma.

In the Wrong Place

An editor died and slowly he wended his way down to where he supposed a warm reception awaited him. The devil met him and said: "For many years thou hast borne the blame for the bad spelling that the printer has gotten off in the paper. The paper has gone for one dollar, and, alas, he dollar has failed to come in. The printer has be-deviled thee for wages when thou hadn't a farthing to thy name. People have taken the paper without paying for it and cured thee for not getting out a better sheet. All these wrongs thou hast borne in silence. Thou shalt not enter here." And as the editor turns and walks away Satan mutters: "Heaven is his home, and besides, if I let him in here he will be dunning his delinquent subscribers and thus creating discord in my kingdom."

Wanted

About two hundred head of cattle to pasture. Fine grass and running water. Ranch 8 miles south of Wheelless. Address C. A. Brynle, Wheelless, Okla.

ISRAEL'S EXPERIENCES
TYPICAL, ALLEGORICAL

Judges 2:1-19—Jan. 3.

Natural Israel's Enemies—Spiritual Israel's Enemies—Natural Israel's Judges, or Deliverers—Spiritual Israel's Reformers and Helpers—Typical Idolatries and Their Antitypes. Israel's Last Deliverance Now Due. Gentile Times Have Ended—Palestine Will Soon Be Possessed by Abraham and His Natural Seed, Under the Supervision of Messiah and His Spiritual Bride, the Church.

"I will heal their backsliding, I will love them freely."—Hosea 14:4.

TODAY'S Study tells of the death of Joshua, Israel's leader after Moses' death. Under Divine direction he divided Palestine amongst the ten tribes of Israel. The Israelites were enjoined of the Lord through an angel to take possession of the land speedily driving out their enemies, destroying their idols and altars, thus ridding themselves and their children of temptation. But instead, they made leagues with the inhabitants and brought themselves into a friendly relationship. This disobedience of Divine command became a serious snare.

In studying the history of Israel, we are to remember that these things were allegorical (1 Corinthians 10:11). They were real occurrences; but their chief purpose, from God's standpoint, was to illustrate certain great truths for Spiritual Israel—the Gospel Church.

Thus the Christian's entrance upon his new life of consecration to God corresponds to crossing Jordan—dying to old interests and entering into the new inheritance under the leadership of Jesus, our Joshua.

Then we learn that the New Creature is to conquer the perverted appetites of his own flesh, which correspond to the idolatrous peoples of Canaan—to drive out these earthly hopes, ambitions, weaknesses, perversions, etc. If the work of exterminating were carried on thoroughly, the result would be a ripened character.



Joshua.



Israel no longer downtrodden by other nations.

Joshua's Wise Exhortation.

When Joshua realized that he was about to be "gathered to his fathers" he called the Israelites together, reminded them of the Lord's mercies and manifest favors toward them, and warned them respecting the necessity of separation from the people of the land—Gentiles; otherwise the tendency might be toward idolatry. Then he took his stand and announced, "As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord." The others joined in the same resolve.

According to human reasoning, idols would appear to keep religion before the mind; but it was not God's way. The true God had instituted in Israel a pure worship, in every way condemning sin, pointing out the necessity for its cancellation and for drawing near to God in His appointed way. The true religion appealed to the highest, noblest sentiments, while the false religions appealed to the baser passions, combining a form of godliness with gratification of the flesh, dancing and various saturnalia.

God's Favor Returning to Israel.

As previously shown, the Bible indicates very clearly that Israel's last great lesson of oppression under the Gentiles closed in 1914. That period, 2520 years long, began when the crown was taken from King Zedekiah, B. C. 606. Since then, Israel has not been an independent nation. As the Lord declared, Zedekiah was the last of David's line to reign until Messiah's Kingdom would be established. The end of Gentile Times, then, marks the beginning of Messiah's Kingdom. Everywhere we see manifestations that He is assuming control of the world, and that Israel's final deliverance is at hand.

Spiritual Israel must first be delivered by the "change" of the First Resurrection. Thus the Spiritual Empire will first be established. Following the incidental Time of Trouble will come the exaltation of the Ancient Worthies—Abraham, Isaac, Jacob and all the Prophets—to be earthly exponents of the Heavenly Kingdom. Other Hebrews, delivered from Gentile domination, will get their blessing through acceptance of the Kingdom arrange-

ments. This includes the thought that their eyes of understanding will recognize the Great King.—Zechariah 12:10.

A further step of the Divine Plan is Israel's repossession of Palestine. The time is ripe. It remains for wealthy Jews to use their wealth in furtherance of Israel's hope. But man's failure to use opportunities will not interfere with the Divine Plan.

Promptly at the close of the Jewish year, last September, Russia gave the Jews full religious liberty and privileges as citizens. Germany quickly followed. Great Britain also honored the Jews. Legally, therefore, the Jew today—since the close of Gentile Times—has secured the same liberties as other peoples. He is no longer "trodden down of the Gentiles."—Luke 21:24.

DEER KILLS MAN IN LAKE.

Hunter Pursues Wounded Animal Into Water—Body Found.

Antigo, Wis.—David Gibson, a hunter, met death while battling with a wounded deer in Sawyer lake, near here.

This was revealed when Gibson's body was recovered. His head was badly cut, his arms and the upper part of his body bruised and his clothing torn. The body was located in deep water.

Gibson, while hunting with his brother, pursued a wounded deer to the lake. The animal plunged in and, although it had grown dark, Gibson followed. His brother heard him call for help, but the darkness prevented him from seeing what was taking place out in the lake. He obtained a boat, but could find neither his brother nor the deer.

Searching parties spent two days in the hunt for the body.

Microbes in Kisses.

Patience—Isn't it funny to see two women kissing who are not fond of one another? Patience—Indeed, it is. It always looks to me as if each hoped the other would get all the microbes.—Yonkers Statesman.

Broad Streets.

Berlin boasts that Unter den Linden is the broadest actual street to be found in any great city. It is 215 feet wide. Other noble thoroughfares are the Ringstrasse, in Vienna, 188 feet; the Paris Grand boulevards, 122 feet; and the Andrássystrasse in Budapest, 155 feet wide.

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